

AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS:

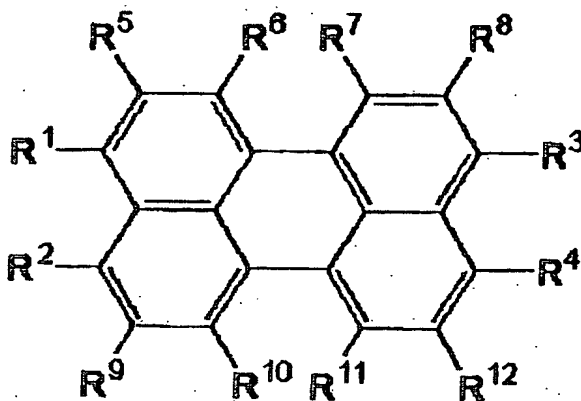
1. (Currently amended) An electroluminescent device comprising:

(a) an anode;

(b) a cathode; and

(c) at least one organic layer sandwiched between said anode and said cathode, said organic layer including at least a red light emitting layer,

said organic layer containing a compound represented with the chemical formula C1, alone or in combination:



(C1)

wherein R¹ to R⁴ each independently represents a hydrogen atom, a hydroxyl group, a substituted or unsubstituted amino group, a nitro group, a substituted or unsubstituted alkyl group, a substituted or unsubstituted alkenyl group, a substituted or unsubstituted cycloalkyl group, a substituted or unsubstituted alkoxy group, a substituted or unsubstituted aromatic hydrocarbon group, a substituted or unsubstituted aromatic heterocyclic group, or a substituted or unsubstituted aralkyl group,

wherein at least one of R¹ to R⁴ is a di-aryl amino group represented with -NAr¹Ar²

where each of Ar¹ and Ar² independently indicates an aryl group having a carbon number of 6

to 20 both inclusive,

wherein R^5 to R^{12} each independently represents a hydrogen atom, a halogen atom, a hydroxyl group, a substituted or unsubstituted amino group, a nitro group, a cyano group, a substituted or unsubstituted alkyl group, a substituted or unsubstituted alkenyl group, a substituted or unsubstituted cycloalkyl group, a substituted or unsubstituted alkoxy group, a substituted or unsubstituted aromatic hydrocarbon group, a substituted or unsubstituted aromatic heterocyclic group, or a substituted or unsubstituted aralkyl group, a substituted or unsubstituted aryloxy group, a substituted or unsubstituted alkoxycarbonyl group, or a carboxyl group, and

wherein any two of R^1 to R^4 except said diaryl amino group and R^5 to R^{12} may form a ring.

2. (Original) The organic electroluminescent device as set forth in claim 1, wherein each of said Ar^1 and Ar^2 includes a substituent.
3. (Original) The organic electroluminescent device as set forth in claim 1, wherein said organic layer includes a hole transporting layer containing said compound represented with said chemical formula C1, alone or in combination.
4. (Original) The organic electroluminescent device as set forth in claim 1, wherein said anode has a work function equal to or greater than 4.5 eV.

5. (Currently amended) The organic electroluminescent device as set forth in claim 5 4, wherein said cathode has a smaller work function than that of said anode.

6. (Original) The organic electroluminescent device as set forth in claim 1, wherein said organic layer has a thickness in the range of 1 nanometer to 1 micrometer both inclusive.

7-33. (Canceled)

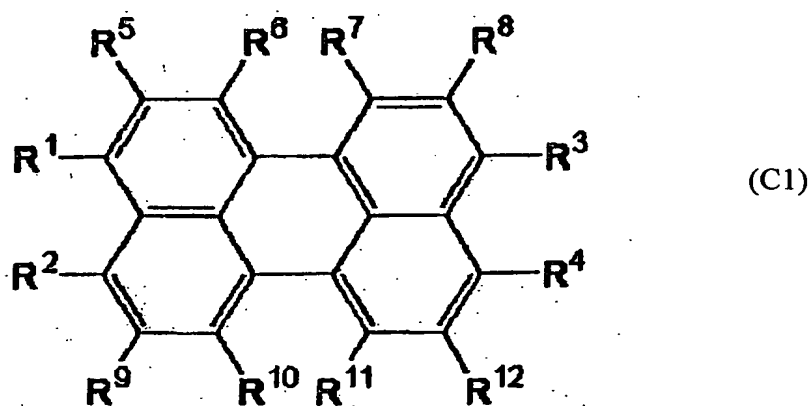
34. (New) An electroluminescent device consisting of:

an anode;

a cathode; and

at least one organic layer formed between said anode and said cathode, said organic layer including at least a light emitting layer,

said at least one organic layer containing a compound represented with the chemical formula C1, alone or in combination:



wherein R¹ to R⁴ each independently represents a hydrogen atom, a hydroxyl group, a substituted or unsubstituted amino group, a nitro group, a substituted or unsubstituted alkyl

group, a substituted or unsubstituted alkenyl group, a substituted or unsubstituted cycloalkyl group, a substituted or unsubstituted alkoxy group, a substituted or unsubstituted aromatic hydrocarbon group, a substituted or unsubstituted aromatic heterocyclic group, or a substituted or unsubstituted aralkyl group,

wherein at least one of R^1 to R^4 is a di-aryl amino group represented with $-NAr^1Ar^2$ where each of Ar^1 and Ar^2 independently indicates an aryl group having a carbon number of 6 to 20 both inclusive,

wherein R^5 to R^{12} each independently represents a hydrogen atom, a halogen atom, a hydroxyl group, a substituted or unsubstituted amino group, a nitro group, a cyano group, a substituted or unsubstituted alkyl group, a substituted or unsubstituted alkenyl group, a substituted or unsubstituted cycloalkyl group, a substituted or unsubstituted alkoxy group, a substituted or unsubstituted aromatic hydrocarbon group, a substituted or unsubstituted aromatic heterocyclic group, or a substituted or unsubstituted aralkyl group, a substituted or unsubstituted aryloxy group, a substituted or unsubstituted alkoxycarbonyl group, or a carboxyl group, and

wherein any two of R^1 to R^4 except said diaryl amino group and R^5 to R^{12} may form a ring.

35. (New) The organic electroluminescent device as set forth in claim 34, wherein each of said Ar^1 and Ar^2 includes a substituent.

36. (New) The organic electroluminescent device as set forth in claim 34, wherein said

organic layer includes a hole transporting layer containing said compound represented with said chemical formula C1, alone or in combination.

37. (New) The organic electroluminescent device as set forth in claim 34, wherein said anode has a work function equal to or greater than 4.5 eV.

38. (New) The organic electroluminescent device as set forth in claim 37, wherein said cathode has a smaller work function than that of said anode.

39. (New) The organic electroluminescent device as set forth in claim 34, wherein said organic layer has a thickness in the range of 1 nanometer to 1 micrometer both inclusive.

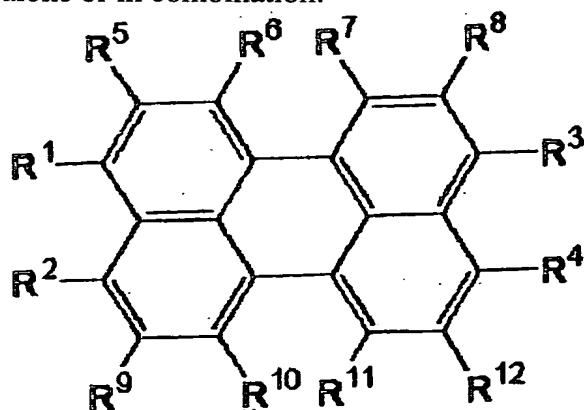
40. (New) An electroluminescent device consisting essentially of:

an anode;

a cathode; and

at least one organic layer formed between said anode and said cathode, said organic layer including at least a light emitting layer,

said at least one organic layer containing a compound represented with the chemical formula C1, alone or in combination:



(C1)

wherein R^1 to R^4 each independently represents a hydrogen atom, a hydroxyl group, a substituted or unsubstituted amino group, a nitro group, a substituted or unsubstituted alkyl group, a substituted or unsubstituted alkenyl group, a substituted or unsubstituted cycloalkyl group, a substituted or unsubstituted alkoxy group, a substituted or unsubstituted aromatic hydrocarbon group, a substituted or unsubstituted aromatic heterocyclic group, or a substituted or unsubstituted aralkyl group,

wherein at least one of R^1 to R^4 is a di-aryl amino group represented with $-NAr^1Ar^2$ where each of Ar^1 and Ar^2 independently indicates an aryl group having a carbon number of 6 to 20 both inclusive,

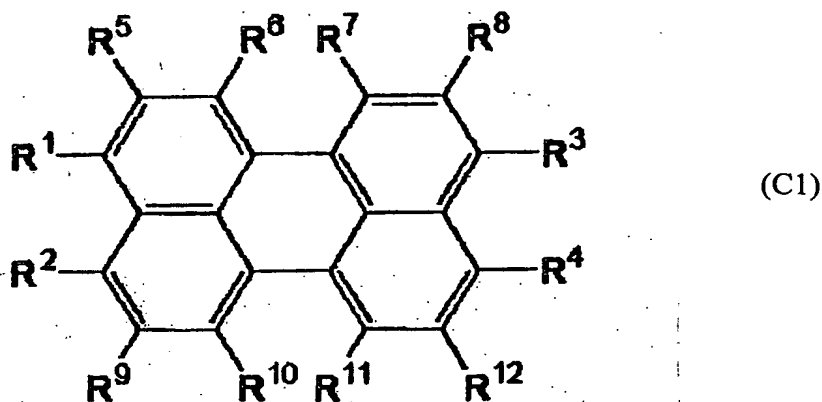
wherein R^5 to R^{12} each independently represents a hydrogen atom, a halogen atom, a hydroxyl group, a substituted or unsubstituted amino group, a nitro group, a cyano group, a substituted or unsubstituted alkyl group, a substituted or unsubstituted alkenyl group, a substituted or unsubstituted cycloalkyl group, a substituted or unsubstituted alkoxy group, a substituted or unsubstituted aromatic hydrocarbon group, a substituted or unsubstituted aromatic heterocyclic group, or a substituted or unsubstituted aralkyl group, a substituted or unsubstituted aryloxy group, a substituted or unsubstituted alkoxycarbonyl group, or a carboxyl group, and

wherein any two of R^1 to R^4 except said diaryl amino group and R^5 to R^{12} may form a ring.

41. (New) An organic layer or an electroluminescent device, said organic layer consisting

essentially of:

a compound represented by the chemical formula C1, alone or in combination:



wherein R¹ to R⁴ each independently represents a hydrogen atom, a hydroxyl group, a substituted or unsubstituted amino group, a nitro group, a substituted or unsubstituted alkyl group, a substituted or unsubstituted alkenyl group, a substituted or unsubstituted cycloalkyl group, a substituted or unsubstituted alkoxy group, a substituted or unsubstituted aromatic hydrocarbon group, a substituted or unsubstituted aromatic heterocyclic group, or a substituted or unsubstituted aralkyl group,

wherein at least one of R¹ to R⁴ is a di-aryl amino group represented with -NAr¹Ar² where each of Ar¹ and Ar² independently indicates an aryl group having a carbon number of 6 to 20 both inclusive,

wherein R⁵ to R¹² each independently represents a hydrogen atom, a halogen atom, a hydroxyl group, a substituted or unsubstituted amino group, a nitro group, a cyano group, a substituted or unsubstituted alkyl group, a substituted or unsubstituted alkenyl group, a substituted or unsubstituted cycloalkyl group, a substituted or unsubstituted alkoxy group, a substituted or unsubstituted aromatic hydrocarbon group, a substituted or unsubstituted

aromatic heterocyclic group, or a substituted or unsubstituted aralkyl group, a substituted or unsubstituted aryloxy group, a substituted or unsubstituted alkoxycarbonyl group, or a carboxyl group, and

wherein any two of R^1 to R^4 except said diaryl amino group and R^5 to R^{12} may form a ring.